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FM AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4803

C O N F I D E N T I A L BEIRUT 12266

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS, LE

IVUBJEC: ATTACK ON BANK OF AMERICA

1. I WISH TO REASSURE DEPARTMENT, IF SUCH IS NECESSARY,
THAT EMBASSY IS NOT RPT NOT TAKING ANY POSITION ON

SUBSTANCE OF NEGOTIATIONS TO SECURE RELEASE OF HOSTAGES
IN BANK.

2. HOWEVER, I HAVE PLACED ALL LOGISTICAL FACILITIES OF
EMBASSY AT DISPOSAL LOCAL BANK OF AMERICA REPRESENTATIVES,
INCLUDING COMMUNICATIONS AND SAFEHAVEN IN EMBASSY FOR
AMERICAN DEPENDENTS OF STAFF TONIGHT, IF THEY DESIRE. BUFFUM

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